

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

ATTY.'S DOCKET: SHOTTON=5

In re Application of:)	Art Unit: 3671
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Peter Gilbert SHOTTON et al.)	Examiner: Tara L. MAYO
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Appln. No.: 10/549,362)	Washington, D.C.
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For: PLACING ELEMENTS IN PILES)	November 16, 2007

REPLY: AMENDMENT AND REMARKS

Customer Service Window
Randolph Building, Mail Stop Amendment
401 Dulany Street
Alexandria, VA 22314

Sir:

Replying to the Office Action mailed July 18, 2007,
petition for one-month's extension of time and late fee being
paid online, please amend as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of
claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Explanation of Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 8 of
this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.

Replacement Drawing Sheets and Annotated Drawing Sheets
Showing Changes are attached following page 13 of this paper.